



**Areal photo showing the huge expansion
of the Jones Library in the early 1990's**



**Year that the 1990's Library
Expansion**

was paid off

by the Town:

FY2011



The
Nathalie and Richard
WOODBURY ROOM

Named for the Loyal Friends
and Generous Benefactors
of the Jones Library System

October, 2012



This and all photos
to follow were
taken today,
May 16, 2016.





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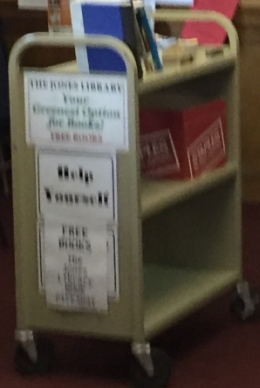


A close-up photograph of a wooden door with a traditional six-panel design. The door is made of light-colored wood with visible grain. A horizontal wooden strip runs across the middle of the door, separating the upper and lower panels. Mounted on this strip is a plaque with the name 'EMILY DICKINSON' in raised, gold-colored capital letters. The door is set within a wooden frame, and the background is a solid light blue.

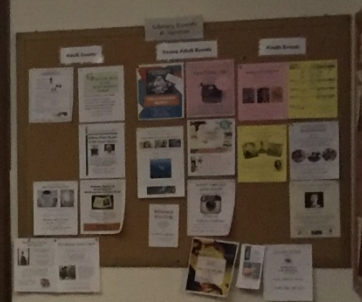
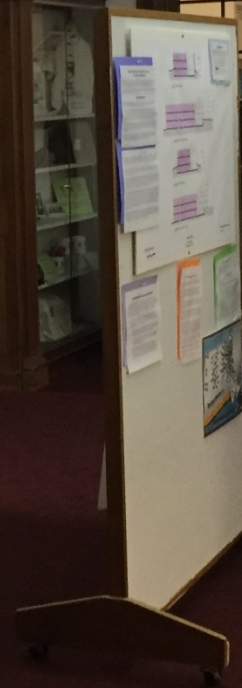
EMILY DICKINSON



Third Floor Space could be repurposed



Friends of the
Jones Libraries
BOOK SALE







The Five Year Plan for the
Amherst Town Libraries,
2011-2016,
makes no reference to an
expansion,
or a need for expansion,
of the Jones.

North Amherst Library Expansion: Supported in public survey



- During the public survey for the 2011-2016 Five Year Plan for the Amherst Libraries, the public was asked if they supported an expansion of the NORTH AMHERST LIBRARY.
- 99 said YES, 58 said NO.
- **No Survey of the public about whether to do a enormous expansion of the Jones Library?**



IN MEMORY OF
LILY S. WOOD

















Historic Preservation Restriction on the Jones:

(a) the Building shall not be moved, demolished, removed or razed except as described in paragraphs 6 and 7;

(b) no barrier shall be constructed, erected or allowed to grow on the Property which would impair the visibility from the street of the Property or the Building without the prior approval of the Grantee;

“above notwithstanding, new landscaping or gardens may be created, and surface materials on paths or drives may be changed, only as provided under paragraph 3.1.”



**Do you want
another parking
garage in our
downtown?**

- State requirements are that there be one parking space for every 500 square feet of building.
- This library expansion would require much more parking.









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